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The Russian Grand Duke Gets Into Bad Favor and is Banished to Siberia by the Czar.

The Cause of the Trouble the Lovely Countess de Beauharnais Skobeleff's Sister.

A Row in a Restaurant which was th Talk of all the European Courts-Shorn of His Honors.

The Grend Duke Alexis deprived of his office of lord high admiral of the fleet, and To the National Educational [Association shorn of most of his honors, is now on his way to Vladivostock, the eastern seaport Siberia, says a correspondent of the New York Times, where he will reside until his brother the czar, sees fit to recall him from his dreary exile. The Duke Eulington one fare for the round trip (\$68.40), inclusive, for the above meeting, at the rate of one fare for the round trip (\$68.40), included to retain the round trip (\$68.40), included to retain the round trip (\$68.40). gene, of Leuchtenberg, likewise banished from the Russian court and capital, has sailed for a cruise of two years or more on sailed for a cruise of two years or more on the imperial corvette Rhynda, and the Comtesse Zenaide de Beauharnais, the Pacific office, No. 28, north Main Street.

A. E. Veazle, Passenger Agent. morganatic wife of the Duke of Leuchten berg. has been given "permission" to reside abroad for an indefinite period. The people here talk with bated breath of the scandal which has led to the sudden disgrace of the emperor's favorite brother, and to the break-up of the Leuchtenberg household, and every possible effort has been taken to prevent its publication.

It is scarcely necessary to say that the lovely Comtesse de Beauharnais has been one of the primary causes of it. The sister of the famous Gen. Skobeleff, who died in such a mysterious manner at Moscow a few years ago, she is without exception few years ago, she is without exception in the berg, has been given "permission" to re- National Educational Association such a mysterious manner at Moscow a few years ago, she is without exception one of the most ambitious woman in the czar's dominions. Endowed with extremely fascinating beauty, supremely elegant and exceedingly clever, she experienced no difficulty in captivating, at one of the first court balls at which she was present, the Duke Eugene of Leuchtenberg, a member of the imperial family, and known as one of the handsomest fools in Europe. Indeed, his stupidity has furnished the basis of innumerable fudicrous anecdotes, both here and at Moscow. The marriage took place in October, 1878, Mills skobbledf receiving the title of Commarriage took place in October, 1878, Mille. Skobeleff receiving the title of Com-tesse de Beauhaunais in honor of the occa-

On the return of the Grand Duke Alexis in 1880 from his visit to the United States and from his subsequent cruise he became acquainted with his new cousin, and from that time forth until a couple of months ago can scarcely be said to have left her side. Wherever the lovely Zenaide was to be seen, whether on the Nevsky prospect in this city, in the Bois at Paris, on the Pincio at Rome, or in the Prater at Vienna, it could always be safely taken for granted that Alexis was somewhere in the immediate of the skin, chaps, red nose, etc. If tard's specific is applied to the face rilla as a blood-purifier should be known to every wife and mother. It corrects irreguin this city, in the Bois at Paris, on the Pincio at Rome, or in the Praer at Vienna, it could always be safely taken for granted that Alexis was somewhere in the immediate neighborhood. The infatuation on the part of the Grand Duke was of the most fervent and constant nature, for it has lasted all these years without interruption.

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handsome features are familiar to a num-ber of New Yorkers, is famed for his af-faires de cour, which have at various times constituted a source of serious annoyance and perplexity to his family. Thus in 1875 he created a great sensation here by eloping with one of his mother's maids of honor—Mile, de Reutern, the niece of the minister of finance of that name. A private marriage took place, and for a couple of years the grand duke and his bride lived together on the Riviera and in Italy. Repeated efforts were made to sever their relations, but without success, and not relations, but without success, and not together on the Riviera and in Italy. He peated efforts were made to sever their relations, but without success, and not even the late emperor's action in decreeing the annulment of the union, both as czar and as supreme head of the Russian church, was able to detach the grand duke from his bionde and dark blue-eyed wife. At length, in despair, the emperor dispatched Count Schouvaloff, at that time chief of the third section of the imperial chancellerie, or, in other words, the head of the secret police, to the Riviera for the purpose of making a final attempt to bring the supremental than the section of the secret police, to the Riviera for the purpose of making a final attempt to bring the supremental than the secret police, to the Riviera for the purpose of making a final attempt to bring the supremental than the secret police, to the Riviera for the purpose of making a final attempt to bring the secret police, to the Riviera for the peatent of the secret police, to the Riviera for the part of the secret police, to the Riviera for the part of the secret police, to the Riviera for the peatent of the secret police, to the Riviera for the part of the secret police, to the Riviera for the part of the secret police, to the Riviera for the part of the secret police, to the Riviera for the part of the secret police, to the Riviera for the part of the secret police, to the Riviera for the part of the secret police, to the Riviera for the secret police for the secre

chief of the third section of the imperial chancellerie, or, in other words, the head of the secret police, to the Riviera for the purpose of making a final attempt to bring about a rupture between the wayward prince and the young baroness.

The count happened to reach Nice during a temporary absence of the grand duke at Paris, and was able to nave a long conversation with the ex-maid of honor before her husband's return. What took place during the interview no one will ever know, for the count is dead and the baroness and her two children have mysteriously disappeared, no one knows whither. The arguments which Schouvaloff used must, however, have been singularly powerful, for, without waiting to speak a word of farewell to Alexis, she left Nice and disappeared from sight. Not even her own appeared from sight. Not even her own relatives know to this day whether she is alive or not. How the grand duke took the matter 1 am unable to say. Like many big men he is somewhat weak of character and easily led. On the whole, however, he seems to have taken matters pretty quietly, and a few weeks later left

on a prolonged cruise around the world, during the course of which he visited New I may add that with the object of making the disgrace of Alexis more marked and his punishment more severe, the czar has Use Syrup of Figs for Constitution.

recalled his uncle, the Grand Duke Constantine Nicolaiwitch, from the Crimea and has conferred upon him the post of lord high admiral and the other honors of which he has just shorn his exiled brother. With reference to the impending marriage of Princess Militza of a Montenegro to the Grand Duke Peter, everybody at court here is inquiring what he young couple will have to live on. For the princely house of Montenegro is so improverished that the main portion of the Black Mountain ruler's income is derived from the allowance made to him by the czar, who has, moreover, been obliged to contribute largemoreover, been obliged to contribute largely to the cost of the education and maintenance of Militza and her sisters at St. Petersburg. The Grand Duke Peter is likewise without money. For his father, the Grand Duke Nicholas Nicolaiwitch, the opening of the coar is overwhelmed with the uncle of the czar, is overwhelmed with debts to such an extent that the emperor has been constrained to deprive him of the control of his appanage and to place it in the hands of trustees.

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Mr. Cole—Yee, I believe the doctor can do all he claims. I would have attacks of hemorrhage nearly every day, which weakened me down so that I which ultimately lead to PREubes, causing a shortness of breath and wheezing larities, gives tone and strength to the vital organs, and cleanses the system of all imwheezing and I am improving every way so fast that I feel confident that I shall soon be well. ly every day, which weakened me down so that I had scarcely any strength left. I had a elight atbut have had none since for now more than a

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